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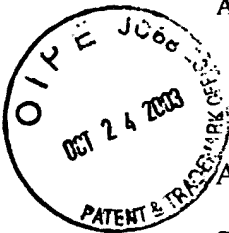
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Respectfully submitted,

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STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF CRF UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.821

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f) and (g), Applicant states that the content of the computer readable (ASCII) form of the sequence listing submitted herewith is identical to the enclosed paper copy. Applicant further states that the enclosed submission includes no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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